

Onto Seer Prophesies Disaster for Cincinnati in World's Series - Ban Johnson Attacked in Mays' Case Brief

BASEBALL SEASON ENDS THIS WEEK

Only Few More Games Will Be Played Before Wind Up of Races.

TWO GAMES HERE TO-DAY

Yanks Play Red Sox - Ruth Will Have Chance to Better Home Run Mark.

As dead autumn leaves flutter from the branches to the ground and are whisked along by the wind, the growing strength of which presages the advance of the coldest season in all the year...

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Yankee Club Owners File Brief in Johnson Case

Document Holds That President of American League Acted Illegally and Despotically - Ask That Mays Injunction Be Continued.

The fight of the officials of the New York American Baseball Club to check the autocratic sway of Ban Johnson, president of the league, as exemplified yesterday took the form of the filing of a brief by the club's attorneys, in which the acts of the chief of the American League are held up for close legal scrutiny.

The brief asks that the preliminary injunction granted by Justice Luce on August 6 last be continued and refers to the "high handed and despotic methods of Johnson in his efforts to accomplish his despotic and selfish purposes."

It is argued in the brief that Ban Johnson served a personal motive in his suspension of Mays after he had been transferred by the Boston club to the New York club, sixteen days after the alleged offense for which Mr. Johnson then suspended him.

The brief further points out that Mr. Johnson's course as to Mays was well calculated to trap the Boston club by injuring its property and standing and by compelling a reduction of the "ridiculous price" so that the franchise being made for a transfer of control might stand a better chance of success.

STUMPF WILL HEAD REGISTRATION BODY

Unanimous Choice of A. A. U. Committee - Homer Baker Reprimanded.

Jacob Stumpf of the Grace Club unanimously was elected chairman of the registration committee of the Amateur Athletic Union last night at that body's first session since being installed a week ago.

PIRATES AND TIGERS RESUME OLD BATTLE

World's Series of Decade Ago Recalled in Interleague Title.

Special Dispatch to The Sun. Detroit, Mich., Sept. 23.—Ten years ago the Detroit Tigers and Pittsburgh Pirates played a world's series on Navin Field.

LAGONIA SOON A FREEMAN

Sham Lagonia of the Bronxville A. C. has been elected to the position of champion and holder of the title of champion of the world in the sport of freemasonry.

NO CHANGE IN STANDING OF THE BATTING LEADERS

As most of the major league teams were idle yesterday the batting averages of the players in the National and American League batting averages were not changed.

AMERICAN AND NATIONAL LEAGUE RECORDS.

Table with columns for Player, Team, and various statistics (Runs, Hits, Errors, etc.) for both American and National Leagues.

CUBS AND CARDS - SPLIT DOUBLE BILL

Cheigo Wins First Game, 5 to 3, but Drops Second, 6 to 2 - Herzog Fined \$50.

St. Louis, Sept. 23.—(National)—Chicago and St. Louis divided their double header to-day, the Cubs winning the first game, 5 to 3, by punting. The locals took the second game, 6 to 2.

Herzog was banished from the game and fined \$50 while the visitors were at bat in the seventh but not promptly obeying Umpire O'Day's orders to abandon his resting place near the grandstand.

TO ARRANGE FOR PRACTICE.

A special meeting of the Hamilton players will be called this afternoon at the school to make arrangements to start practice at once.

RED BON IS FIRST IN A KEEN TUSSLE

Wins 2:09 Trot, Although He Finishes Ninth and Eighth in Heats at Columbus.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 23.—Due to a late starting track today three of the five Grand Circuit races scheduled were started, the other two, the Board of Trotting, 2:05 pace, purse \$2,000, and the Columbus, 2:05 pace, purse \$2,000, were postponed over as part of tomorrow's card.

ST. PAUL'S BOYS' HIGH

With the exception of one game, St. Paul's High School of Garden City will play all its contests on the home gridiron at St. Paul's High School.

HOW BATSMEN OF LOCAL BALL CLUBS ARE HITTING

Table showing batting averages for various players from different local ball clubs.

GIANTS FANS HAVE REASON TO REJOICE

If, as has been asserted by a verifier of rumor, "hope deferred maketh the heart sick," then the fans of the city of Cincinnati will be glad to hear that the long delay in the arrival of the pennant-winning team and now that the objective of their hopes has been attained it is not to be wondered at that they are overjoyed.

INVESTIGATE RACING. STAGE TWO BOXING SHOWS.

Ottawa Commission Begins Hearing on Sport. Soldiers at Fort Hamilton and sailors at the receiving ship at Bay Ridge were entertained by the Knights of Columbus.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Kansas City (first game)—R. H. W. Indianapolis, 10; St. Paul, 7. At St. Paul (second game)—R. H. W. Kansas City, 10; St. Paul, 7.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Table showing the results of various baseball games from the American League, National League, and American Association.

HIGH LIGHTS AND SHADOWS LEONARD MATCHED

Noted Lightweights Will Meet in New Haven on Thanksgiving Day.

By CHARLES F. MATHISON. Joe Mulvihill, the Connecticut promoter, gives voice to the announcement that Benny Leonard, the lightweight champion of the world, and Lew Tendler, the Quaker moutpaw, who has been a persistent foe of the titleholder, are to meet in a fifteen round decisionless bout in New Haven Thanksgiving Day afternoon.

Leonard has secured this bout but unquestionably has obtained the most potent pugilistic attraction that could possibly be staged in the lightweight class. Tendler has been hurling challenges at Leonard for several months and many of the messages have not been couched in the pleasantest terms.

TOMMY CONNELL'S LAST RECORD.

Somewhere in a little cemetery in the far off Philadelphia lies all that is left of the mortal remains of poor little Tommy Connell—Tommy of the bulldog heart and greyhound legs, who made so much athletic history in the years preceding the Spanish American war.

OWDOW TO DEFEND TITLE.

Mike O'Dowd, the middleweight champion, is in his horns this fall in a pugilistic contest with challenger and champion and there promises to be a pugilistic contest when they meet in the ring. The only part of the match is the lack of a decision, which will be made by Leonard if he is willing to have the bout at the fifteen round limit he should not object to a decision.

WANTING FOR ANOTHER MATCH.

Reports from Philadelphia as to the effect that Eddie Morgan, a middleweight English featherweight, had no difficulty in staying six rounds with Kilbane, and that Kilbane had all he could do to stand the championship bout, which was a hard-fought affair, and that Morgan "mixed it furiously" with Kilbane and made a good impression.

DUNDEE GETS DECISION.

Boston, Sept. 23.—Johnny Dundee, New York's star lightweight who recently beat Henry Leonard, was awarded the referee's decision over Charlie Parker of this city in a twelve round bout to-night.

ICE SKATING SEASON OPENS.

The ice skating season will be inaugurated to-morrow, when the Old Hundred and Hight-First Street Ice Palace opens its doors for the first time.

AMATEURS TO BOX FRIDAY.

There will be a special 110 pound amateur boxing class contest next Friday night in the amateur and professional boxing show to be staged at the Twelfth Regiment Armory in connection with the regiment's recruiting campaign.

HAMILTON INSTITUTE TRYING TO ARRANGE INTERSECTIONAL FOOTBALL GAME.

Robert Shaw, principal and president of Hamilton Institute, yesterday announced that arrangements have been completed for a football game between the eleven of his institution and the East Aurora High School team of Illinois, Central West Champions, to be played in the city either Saturday, November 29 or December 6.

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